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SUBJECT: AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT TRADE MISSION

1. ON JUNE 5, 1974, KENYA CENTRAL BANK ANNOUNCED NEW IMPORT REGULATIONS UNDER WHICH SOME AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT CATEGORIES PREVIOUSLY FREELY IMPORTED WERE PLACED UNDER QUOTA. GOK OFFICIALS INDICATE THESE ARE CONTINGENCY QUOTAS TO BE IMPLEMENTED LATER THIS YEAR IF NEEDED. NO FIRM QUOTAS HAVE BEEN SET.

2. GOK POLICY IS TO NOT RESTRICT IMPORTS OF NEEDED MACHINERY AT EXPENSE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION. POST DOES NOT EXPECT QUOTAS TO ADVERSELY AFFECT POTENTIAL OF T.M.

3. CATEGORIES AFFECTED, BY S.I.T.C. NUMBER, ARE:

712 200: MACHINERY FOR HARVESTING, THRESHING AND SORTING;

712 300: DAIRY EQUIPMENT;

712 501: AGRICULTURAL TRACTORS;

712 502: TRACTORS, CATERPILLAR TYPE;

712 509: TRACTORS, N.E.S.

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4. QUOTAS, IF IMPLEMENTED, ARE EXPECTED TO BE 50-75 PER CENT OF FOLLOWING AVERAGE ANNUAL IMPORT OF PREVIOUS

TWO YEARS. QUOTA BASE BY CATEGORY:

712 200 - \$835,577

712 300 - \$840,890

712 501 - \$3,166,245

712 502 - \$2,800,239

712 509 - \$15,374.

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